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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, SP, US

SUBJECT: LOAN OF 105MM AMMUNITION TO SPANISH NAVY

REFERENCE: (A) MADRID 7826 (B) MADRID 7848

1. DEPARTMENT AND DOD APPRECIATE CONCERNS VOICED BY GOS

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IN REQUEST TO BORROW 105MM AMMUNITION FROM USMC WAR RESERVE

STOCKS IN SPAIN. WE ARE UNABLE TO APPROVE THAT REQUEST IN VIEW OF US LEGAL PROHIBITION AGAINST LOANS OF CONSUMABLES WE ARE PREPARED, HOWEVER, TO EXPEDITE DELIVERY OF AMMUNITION UNDER EXISTING FMS CONTRACT BETWEEN SPANISH NAVY AND US ARMY WHICH NOW CALLS FOR DELIVERY IN ABOUT THREE MONTHS. ANY EXPEDITED DELIVERY WOULD RESULT IN ADDITIONAL COSTS WHICH WOULD HAVE TO BE BORNE BY SPANISH NAVY. AT THIS POINT, WE DO NOT HAVE PRECISE INFORMATION ON AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL COSTS AND NEW DELIVERY TIME SHOULD GOS OPT FOR THIS SOLUTION

2. EMBASSY IS AUTHORIZED TO INFORM GOS OF FOREGOING AND ADVISE IF SPANISH APPEAR INTERESTED IN OFFER. KISSINGER

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